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<i>jc</i>	AA	5,097,149	03/17/92	Lee	307	443	
	AB	5,099,148	03/24/92	McClure et al.	307	443	
	AC	5,128,560	07/07/92	Chern et al.	307	475	
	AD	5,134,311	07/28/92	Biber et al.	307	270	
	AE	5,274,276	12/28/93	Casper et al.	307	443	
	AF	5,576,656	11/19/96	McClure	327	538	
	AG	5,594,373	01/14/97	McClure	327	108	
	AH	5,606,275	02/25/97	Farhang et al.	327	108	
	AI	5,732,027	03/24/98	Arcoleo et al.	365	189.05	
	AJ	5,754,480	05/19/98	Sato	365	189.05	
	AK	5,903,504	05/11/99	Chevallier et al.	365	207	
	AL	5,949,254	09/07/99	Keeth	326	87	
	AM	6,066,977	05/23/00	Felton et al.	327	390	
	AN	6,069,504	05/30/00	Keeth	327	108	
	AO	6,087,853	07/11/00	Huber et al.	326	83	
	AP	6,198,307 B1	03/06/01	Garlepp et al.	326	83	
	AQ	6,288,563 B1	09/11/01	Muljono et al.	326	27	
	AR	6,323,687 B1	11/27/01	Yano	326	83	
	AS	6,330,194 B1	12/11/01	Thomann et al.	365	189.05	
	AT	6,339,351 B1	01/15/02	Ang et al.	327	170	
	AU	6,351,421 B1	02/26/02	Merritt	365	189.11	
	AV	6,445,245 B1	09/03/02	Schultz et al.	327	541	
<i>jc</i>	AW	6,456,124 B1	09/24/02	Lee et al.	327	108	
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	AZ 6,480,798 B2	11/12/02	Lee	702	107	
	BA 6,501,306 B1	12/31/02	Kim et al.	327	112	
	BB 6,549,036 B1	04/15/03	Lee	326	83	
	BC 6,563,337 B2	05/13/03	Dour	326	30	
	BD 6,700,418 B2	03/02/04	Yu et al.	327	108	
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	AC	5,926,031	07/20/99	Wallace et al.	326	30	
	AD	5,995,443	11/30/99	Farmwald et al.	365	233	
	AE	6,026,456	02/15/00	Ilkbahar	710	101	
	AF	6,307,424	10/23/01	Lee	327	530	
	AG	6,307,791	10/23/01	Otsuka et al.	365	189.05	
	AH	6,351,138 B1	02/26/02	Wong	326	30	
	AI	6,359,465	03/19/02	Hui	326	30	
	AJ	6,373,276	04/16/02	Hui	326	30	
	AK	6,420,913	07/16/02	Ang et al.	327	108	
	AL	6,424,169	07/23/02	Partow et al.	326	30	
	AM	6,445,316	09/03/02	Hsu et al.	341	120	
<i>U</i>	AN	6,657,906	12/02/03	Martin	365	198	
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